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LUTHER CARVIN		HARGIS	
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	First Named Inventor	
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	Application Number	/
	Filing Date	
	Group Art Unit	
	Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

NON-COMPRESSION CARPAL/WRIST KEYBOARD BRACE

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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DECLARATION — Utility or Design Patent Application

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

NAME OF SOLE OR FIRST INVENTOR :

☐ A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor

Given Name
(first and middle [if any]) VERONICA ROSE

Family Name
or Surname HARBIS

Inventor's
Signature DECEASED 9/22/03

Date 11/27/03

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Family Name
or Surname

Inventor's
Signature

Date

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**DECLARATION (37 CFR 1.63) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN APPLICATION USING AN
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As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that:

This declaration is directed to:

- ☒ The attached application, or
- ☐ Application No. _____, filed on _____,
- ☐ as amended on _____ (if applicable);

I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;

I/ we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;

I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application, if applicable; and

All statements made herein of my/own knowledge are true, all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

FULL NAME OF INVENTOR(S)Inventor one: VERONICA ROSE HARGIS DECEASED 9/22/03Signature: _____ Citizen of: US

Inventor two: _____

Signature: _____ Citizen of: _____

Inventor three: _____

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**THIS is intended to constitute a DURABLE GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY
pursuant to Article 5, Title 15 of the New York General Obligations Law:**

I, VERONICA ROSE HARGIS

residing at 30 MAPLE AVENUE, WARWICK, NEW YORK 10990

do hereby appoint: LUTHER CALVIN HARGIS

residing at 40 MAPLE AVENUE, WARWICK, NEW YORK 10990

my attorney(s)-in-fact TO ACT

**(If more than one agent is designated, CHOOSE ONE of the following two choices by
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6/23/03

IN MY NAME, PLACE AND STEAD in any way which I myself could do, if I were personally present, with respect to the following matters as each of them is defined in Title 15 of Article 5 of the New York General Obligations Law and to the extent that I am permitted by law to act through an agent:

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| () | (D) | banking transactions; |
| () | (E) | business operating transactions; |
| () | (F) | insurance transactions; |
| () | (G) | estate transactions; |
| () | (H) | claims and litigation; |
| () | (I) | personal relationships and affairs; |
| () | (J) | benefits from military service; |
| () | (K) | records, reports and statements; |
| () | (L) | retirement benefit transactions; |
| () | (M) | making gifts to my spouse, children and more remote descendants, and parents, not to exceed in the aggregate \$10,000.00 to each of such persons in any year; |
| () | (N) | tax matters; |
| () | (O) | all other matters; |
| () | (P) | full and unqualified authority to my attorney(s)-in-fact to delegate any or all of the foregoing powers to any person or persons whom my attorney(s)-in-fact shall select; |
| (U.H.) | (Q) | each of the above matters identified by the following letters: |

A.B.C.D.E.F.G.H.I.J.K.L.M.N.O.P

(Special provisions and limitations may be included in the statutory short form durable power of attorney only if they conform to the requirements of Section 5-1503 of the New York General Obligations Law.)

This durable power of attorney shall not be affected by my subsequent disability or incompetence.

If every agent named above is unable or unwilling to serve, I appoint MICHAEL BARTEK, residing at 436 East McFarlan Street, Dover, NJ 07801

to be my agent for all purposes hereunder.

TO INDUCE ANY THIRD PARTY TO ACT HEREUNDER, I HEREBY AGREE THAT ANY THIRD PARTY RECEIVING A DULY EXECUTED COPY OR FACSIMILE OF THIS INSTRUMENT MAY ACT HEREUNDER, AND THAT REVOCATION OR TERMINATION HEREOF SHALL BE INEFFECTIVE AS TO SUCH THIRD PARTY UNLESS AND UNTIL ACTUAL NOTICE OR KNOWLEDGE OF SUCH REVOCATION OR TERMINATION SHALL HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY SUCH THIRD PARTY, AND I FOR MYSELF AND FOR MY HEIRS, EXECUTORS, LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES AND ASSIGNS, HEREBY AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS ANY SUCH THIRD PARTY FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS THAT MAY ARISE AGAINST SUCH THIRD PARTY BY REASON OF SUCH THIRD PARTY HAVE RELIED ON THE PROVISIONS OF THIS INSTRUMENT.

THIS DURABLE GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY BE REVOKED BY ME AT ANY TIME.

The powers granted under (A) and (B) above are enlarged so that all fixtures and articles of personal property which at the time of such transaction are or which may thereafter be attached to or used in connection with the real property may be included in the deeds, mortgages, agreements and any other instruments to be executed and delivered in connection with real estate transactions and which may be described in said instruments with more particularity.

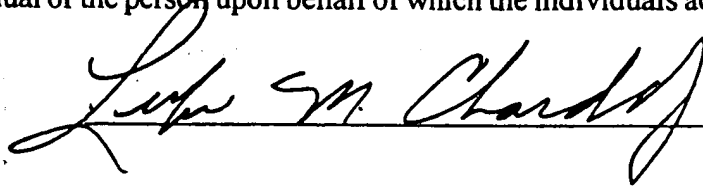
I will not question the sufficiency of any instrument executed by my attorney(s)-in-fact pursuant to this power of attorney notwithstanding that the instrument fails to recite the consideration therefor or recites merely a nominal consideration; any person dealing with the subject matter of such instrument may do so as if full consideration therefor had been expressed therein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto signed my name this 25th day of June, 2003.

Veronica Rose Hargis
VERONICA ROSE HARGIS

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF ORANGE)ss.:

On the 23rd day of June, 2002 before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared VERONICA ROSE HARGIS, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual or the person upon behalf of which the individuals acted, executed the instrument.



LUKE M. CHARDE, JR.
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
02CH4620078
QUALIFIED IN ORANGE COUNTY
COMMISSION EXPIRES JAN. 31, 2006

3529
REGISTER NUMBER
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TIME OF DEATH: _____ AM/ PM DATE OF DEATH: _____

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**LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF
VERONICA ROSE HARGIS**

I, **VERONICA ROSE HARGIS**, of the Town of Warwick, County of Orange, State of New York, being of sound mind and memory, do make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament, revoking all Wills and Codicils which I have previously made.

FIRST: I direct that all my just debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as practicable.

SECOND: All of my personal effects and household furnishings, I bequeath to my beloved husband, **LUTHER CALVIN HARGIS**.

THIRD: I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my property, real and personal, of every kind and nature, and wheresoever situate, and any and all property over which I have a power of disposal, to my beloved husband, **LUTHER CALVIN HARGIS**.

FOURTH: In the event my husband and I shall die under circumstances in which it cannot be determined who died first, or in the event he shall predecease me, or fail to survive me by more than thirty (30) days, I then instruct that my estate be distributed as follows:

(a) I bequeath all of my household furnishings and personal effects to my Executor, with the direction that the Executor divide these items of personal property equitably among my four (4) children;

(b) I give, devise and bequeath all the rest, residue and remainder of my property and estate, real or personal property of every kind and nature and wheresoever situated, and any and all property over which I have a power of disposal to my Trustees, hereinafter named, according to the

Trust, except for DANIEL DREW HARGIS' needs to live in a comfortable manner. After DANIEL DREW HARGIS attains the age of Thirty-Five (35) years, the Trustees may continue the Trust under the same terms or terminate the Trust as the Trustees see fit in their sole and absolute discretion. In the event DANIEL DREW HARGIS passes away while the Trust is still in existence, the principal and/or accumulated income of the Trust shall go to DANIEL DREW HARGIS' issue and if he dies leaving no issue, it shall be divided among my three (3) daughters, or if any one (1) or more of them are deceased, to their issue, and if they die leaving no issue, to my surviving daughter or their issue.

FIFTH: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my husband, LUTHER CALVIN HARGIS, as Executor of this, my Last Will and Testament. In the event LUTHER CALVIN HARGIS shall predecease me or otherwise be unable to serve as Executor, I then nominate, constitute and appoint my brother, MICHAEL BARTEK, as Alternate Executor of this, my Last Will and Testament.

SIXTH: I hereby nominate, constitute and appoint as Trustees of all of the Trusts, my brother and sisters,, MICHAEL BARTEK, NANCY LARGENT and MARY NEGRI. The Trustees may designate one (1) of the three (3) Trustees to act in managing the account(s) and that Trustee may be the sole signator for withdrawals from the account(s). However, all decisions regarding the extent of distributions and the termination of DANIEL DREW HARGIS' Trust Fund shall be done by a majority vote of the three (3) Trustees. In the event any one (1) of the Trustees is unable to serve or thereafter passes away and/or otherwise becomes unable to serve, I nominate, constitute and appoint STEVEN BARTEK as the First Alternate Trustee and my daughter, ERIN MARIE HARGIS as the Second Alternate Trustee. In the event that it ever comes to pass that there are only two (2) Trustees for the Trust, then my daughter, ERIN MARIE HARGIS, may nominate one (1) of her

under my Will.

D. My Executor shall be entitled to receive compensation with respect to any property held for any minor pursuant to this paragraph of my Will at the same rate and in the same manner payable to testamentary trustees under the Laws of the State of New York.

EIGHTH: No bond or other security shall be required of the persons named herein as Executors or their successor or successors, in any jurisdiction whatsoever, for the faithful and proper performance of their duties.

NINTH: Whenever necessary to preserve the meaning, intent and sense of this Will, words indicating masculine and feminine and the singular and plural shall construed interchangeably.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal on the 23rd day of June, 2003.

Veronica Rose Hargis
VERONICA ROSE HARGIS

WITNESSES:

Luke M. Charley
Dawn M. Page

The foregoing instrument, consisting of five (5) typewritten pages including this page, was signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Testatrix, who was of sound mind and memory and who realized the natural bounty of her affection as her Last Will and Testament, in our presence, and we, at her request, signed our names as witnesses the 23rd day of June, 2003.

Luke M. Charley P.O. Box 712
Dawn M. Page Warwick, N.Y. 10996
160 Walnut Street
Albany, N.Y. 12256